

Amusements.
Scheffer's Opera House,
Saturday Eve., Jan. 25.
FOR ONE NIGHT ONLY!
Engagement Extraordinary.
MANAGER
JNO. ELLSLER
 And the entire
Pittsburgh Opera House Company,
 In Washington Irving's Great Legend
Rip Van Winkle!
 OR THE
VAGABOND OF THE CATSKILLS.
RIP VAN WINKLE. JOHN ELLSLER

Popular Prices:
 General Admission, 30 and 35c.
 Reserved Seats, 50c.
 Seats now on sale at W. H. Perkins & Co's Book Store.

Local News.

Courtesy has some fine pictures of Bob Burdette.

A number of Canton young people went to Massillon to a dance last night.

Conklin's motto and Don Cameron's "never give up the (Senator) ship."

They say Germans prefer lager because it makes them think of home.

Your nose is red, your lips are blue; the weather's cold, and so are you.

Miss Sell, a teacher in the South School, was severely injured by a fall, Monday evening.

Those who bought property at the tax sales will only be allowed 15 per cent. for the first year and 20 per cent. for the second.

A little girl named Burrows received a fractured limb from a fall while on her way from school, Monday evening.

The honorable city council did not meet Monday evening, and our readers are therefore deprived of perusing the usually racy proceedings.

Tramps stole a trunk from the A. & G. W. depot at Ravenna, Monday. They were arrested and nearly all the goods recovered.

The new Academy of Music at Akron will be opened Jan. 25, probably by a company composed of home talent.

The Akron City Guards will hold their grand military reception and dress ball on February 21, in Music Hall.

Booked for Brazil.—Bachert, Silk & Co., of the paper mill, shipped an invoice of paper to Brazil, South America, last week.

It is not the power of the steam locomotive that draws the train. The freight on board is what makes the cargo.

We understand that it costs the lawyers \$1 each to fool with the court house janitor's shovel. That's cheap too.

HYDROPHOBIA.—A daughter of Charles Kidney, of Ravenna, who was bitten by a dog six years ago, shows all the signs of hydrophobia. She has to be secured by ropes to prevent her using violence.

Brew Up.—At Leetonia on Sunday the large iron receiver for the hot blast of furnace No. 1 Grafton Iron Company, exploded, but no one was injured.

BURGLES.—Mr. Wherry's residence on South Mark street was entered by burglars last Friday night. A watch and pipe are all that the family have missed.

The tools and fixtures of Ames Rock's shop were sold according to advertisement Monday morning. John Reynolds whose claim the sale was to satisfy, being the purchaser.

It's None.—Who ever saw such magnificent sleighing last night? It is now a plumb snow since the snow first fell. Of course, like every other good thing, it is called "old fashioned."

HAVE YOU SEEN OUR TOM.—Our Thomas was selected by the Wallace Grays as the popular member to "have his likeness took" clad in the new uniform, and you can see him now in Davis & Tucker's window.

NEW BRIDGE.—The C. & P. Railroad Company is building a magnificent iron bridge at Wellsville to take the place of the culvert washed out. The bridge is being put up under the supervision of the company's own engineer, and will cost \$75,000 when completed.

On Tuesday last in the Ohio House of Representatives a resolution was adopted directing the Finance Committee to prepare a bill for reducing fees and salaries of all public officers, State and county. In the Senate a bill was introduced to punish the use of money to obtain nomination or election to office.

SCARLET FEVER.—The Carroll Free Press says: The vicinity of New Harrisburg has been recently afflicted with scarlet fever. A great number of children have been sick and quite a number died within an hour and a half of each other, and were buried Wednesday in the same coffin. The youngest had been sick, but was not considered dangerous, and after the other one died it grew suddenly worse, and after expressing a desire to "go where his brother was," died without sufficient warning to secure medical attendance.

TO ABANDON HER SECTOR.—Mr. Palmer, a member of the Legislature, from Cuyahoga Co., has introduced a bill into the House of Representatives of Ohio to provide for the support of the wives and children of persons confined in the State Penitentiary. The bill provides substantially that the state shall provide for the support of the wives and children of all persons confined in the penitentiary for a term of years, or for life, by married men, after deducting 25 cents per day for the board and clothing of the convict, shall be kept apart and held in trust for the wife and children of such convict, and paid over monthly to them by the Auditor of the State.

A BIG ENGINE.—A locomotive, perhaps the largest ever made, is now on route for work on the long, heavy grade on the Rocky Mountains of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railroad. It has iron wheels of paper with steel tires, and the firebox is ten feet long. When in working order it weighs 115,000 pounds. Its weight is so great that the Western roads won't let it go over bridges, and it will therefore have to be dismantled. It ran, however, over all the bridges of the Pennsylvania and Ft. Wayne roads.

DANGEROUS HARRY.—Dr. Hale of Chicago, talking as his text the case of a woman who was run over in the street and killed, because she drew back after starting to cross ahead of a pair of horses, says that he is surprised that more women are not hurt in the same way. "A woman starts to cross the street," he says, "and when she gets one-third or half way over she sees a team approaching; the driver in nearly every instance watches her movements, and seeks to drive in behind her. If she keeps on her way, all is well. If she stops, she is perfectly safe. But here comes the strange and sad misadventure of her sex. Just as the driver thinks he can safely drive behind her, she stops, starts back a few steps, and, unless the driver is prompt, and draws his horse back on his hanches, the woman is run over by his feet, or knocked down."

AN IMPORTANT MESSAGE.

The Governor of Tennessee Tells How She was Abused during the War, and Explains the State Debt.

NASHVILLE TENN., January 17.—A message to-day says: The payment of no part of the State debt can be renewed until there shall be an adjustment of it on such a basis as will bring the debt within the ability of the tax payers to meet all the State's embarrassments, the result of the late war, and the usurpation of her government, and all imputations upon her honor, proceed from malice, interest or ignorance. The whole amount of debt in 1861 was \$3,768,806, for which the State was primarily liable. The revenue of the State exceeded the interest by about \$200,000. The geographical position of Tennessee made her soil the theater of active military operations from the beginning to the close of the war. The blight of war which fell upon Tennessee is without parallel in modern times. For years her courts were closed, her laws abrogated, her people left without protection, the arts of peace abandoned and her accumulated wealth, banking capital and currency annihilated. Licensed murder, arson, robbery and pillage filled the land with terror, want and suffering. The General Government seized and appropriated to its use the crops and stock of the non-combatant citizens without compensation. It occupied and used all the property belonging to the State, and all upon which it had a lien, for the security of public creditors. It made the State Capitol a military fortress; it converted the asylum and university buildings into military hospitals and barracks, and wantonly destroying part of them, it seriously damaged them all; it filled the penitentiary with its prisoners; it destroyed the turnpike and plank roads in its military use; it stripped the branch railroads of their iron and appropriated it to its own use; it operated the main line of railroads from the beginning of 1862 to the close of 1865 and appropriated all of the profits; it took from the State the banking power which had been so profitable to it and bestowed it upon its own bondholders. The message reviewed at length the fraudulent manner of the issue of bonds of the State by the Legislature during Brownlow's administration. The bondholders appreciate the fact that the debt cannot be met, and long since a compromise would have been had but for the fact that the holders of the bonds of the solvent railroads regarded their bonds still a lien on the road, and until the question is settled adversely to them they will never offer a compromise within the ability of taxpayers. The confusion of the just debt of the State with the questionable and fraudulent debt has resulted disastrously to her interest and reputation. There has never been a time when the State was not able and willing to pay the interest upon her just indebtedness, but by uniting all payment has been made impossible. The bonds which represent the several branches of our State debt can at least be approximately distinguished, and if so they ought to be distinguished, and permit each branch of the debt to stand upon its own merits and be adjusted accordingly, and for this purpose an appropriate committee should investigate all the facts connected with the debt and report thereon. In order that the justice of the case of the State may be exhibited and intelligent action had, if an adjustment is made, the coupons ought not to be made receivable for taxes. The demand for this condition implies a want of confidence in the integrity of the State and ought for that reason to be rejected; but as a matter of principle the State should never consent to put her sovereignty, which she holds in trust for the welfare of the whole people, in pledge for the debt. If any adjustment is adopted it ought to be submitted to the people for their ratification or rejection at the ballot box, and if it is approved by the people at the polls the Legislature will be convened, if necessary for the purpose of enacting it into a law. That pledge has been made to the people and it ought to be respected. If disregarded upon any ground it will only afford occasion for distrust and insure the ultimate defeat of any adjustment made, as the history of our State debt shows that in every contest with the bondholder and railroad companies on one side and the tax-payers on the other, that the tax payers have gone down. It is not remarkable that they demand the right to protect themselves.

A Dutchman once met an Irishman on a lonely highway. As they met, each smiling, thinking he knew the other. Pat, on seeing his mistake remarked with a look of disappointment, "Faith, an' I thought it was you, an' you thought it was me, and it's nayther of us." "Yaw, dat is drus. I am an under man, and you is not yourself, and we are some other bodies."

MARRIED.—GILLOT-COCHHELL.—On the 15th inst., by Equine Hudson, at the bride's residence, Mr. Charles Gillet and Miss Mary Cochshell.

BURRIS-SLITZ.—On the 16th inst., by Equine Hudson, at the bride's residence, Mr. Benjamin Burris and Miss Belina Slitz.

HEITE-TULEY.—On the 19th inst., by Equine Hudson, at the residence of Mrs. Perry, Mr. Joe Heite and Mrs. Louisa Tuley.

BLAUGH-KLINE.—On the 29th inst., at the Zion Hotel, by Rev. Geo. Z. Coehel, Mr. John T. Blaugh and Miss Louisa Kline, the former of Bethlehem Tp., Stark Co., the latter of Lawrence Tp., Tuscarawas Co., O.

DIED.—BEAMERDEFFER.—At Zent, on the 15th inst., of lockjaw or tetanus, superinduced by extreme exposure, Frank Beamerdefer, aged 25 years.

Markets

CANTON RETAIL MARKET.

The following will be found correct quotations this day of the retail prices to consumers of the articles named:

BUTTER, LARD, &c.

Apple Butter, 50c; Cheese, 10c; Eggs, 10c; Lard, 10c.

VEGETABLES AND FRUITS.

Onions, 10c; Cabbage, 10c; Potatoes, 10c; Turnips, 10c; Apples, 10c; Peaches, 10c.

WHEAT AND MEAL.

Flour, 10c; Corn Meal, 10c; Buckwheat Flour, 10c; Graham Flour, 10c.

FRESH AND SALT FISH.

White Fish, 10c; Mackerel, 10c; Pickled, 10c.

DAY GROCERIES.

Cut Leaf Sugar, 10c; Ex. C. Sugar, 10c; Cracked, 10c; Brown, 10c; N. O. Sugar, 10c.

POULTRY.

Chickens, 10c; Turkeys, 10c; Ducks, 10c.

STOCKS.

Silver Drip, 10c; Common Drip, 10c; Good, 10c.

FRESH AND CURED MEATS.

Beef, 10c; Pork, 10c; Bacon, 10c.

DRIED MEATS.

Beef, 10c; Pork, 10c; Bacon, 10c.

MANUFACTURED MEATS.

Beef, 10c; Pork, 10c; Bacon, 10c.

SAUSAGE.

Beef, 10c; Pork, 10c; Bacon, 10c.

SAUSAGE.

Beef, 10c; Pork, 10c; Bacon, 10c.

SAUSAGE.

Beef, 10c; Pork, 10c; Bacon, 10c.

SAUSAGE.

Beef, 10c; Pork, 10c; Bacon, 10c.

SAUSAGE.

Beef, 10c; Pork, 10c; Bacon, 10c.

SAUSAGE.

Beef, 10c; Pork, 10c; Bacon, 10c.

SAUSAGE.

Beef, 10c; Pork, 10c; Bacon, 10c.

SAUSAGE.

Beef, 10c; Pork, 10c; Bacon, 10c.

SAUSAGE.

Beef, 10c; Pork, 10c; Bacon, 10c.

SAUSAGE.

Beef, 10c; Pork, 10c; Bacon, 10c.

SAUSAGE.

Beef, 10c; Pork, 10c; Bacon, 10c.

SAUSAGE.

Beef, 10c; Pork, 10c; Bacon, 10c.

SAUSAGE.

Beef, 10c; Pork, 10c; Bacon, 10c.

SAUSAGE.

Beef, 10c; Pork, 10c; Bacon, 10c.

SAUSAGE.

Beef, 10c; Pork, 10c; Bacon, 10c.

SAUSAGE.

Beef, 10c; Pork, 10c; Bacon, 10c.

SAUSAGE.

Beef, 10c; Pork, 10c; Bacon, 10c.

SAUSAGE.

Beef, 10c; Pork, 10c; Bacon, 10c.

SAUSAGE.

Beef, 10c; Pork, 10c; Bacon, 10c.

SAUSAGE.

Beef, 10c; Pork, 10c; Bacon, 10c.

SAUSAGE.

Beef, 10c; Pork, 10c; Bacon, 10c.

SAUSAGE.

Beef, 10c; Pork, 10c; Bacon, 10c.

SAUSAGE.

Beef, 10c; Pork, 10c; Bacon, 10c.

NOTICE
 TO—
CIVIL ENGINEERS
 AND—
DRAUGHTSMEN.

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
 CANTON, O., January 14, 1879.

Sealed proposals will be received at the Auditor's Office until

MONDAY, MARCH 3d, 1879,

AT 12 O'CLOCK M.,

to construct the necessary maps and plats to enable the several District Assessors in the County to correctly re-assess all real estate in the year 1880.

Said maps and plats are to be made in the following manner and scale, viz:

1st. All plats of the sections, tracts and lots, comprising the land tracts and lots, in said county, are to be made at a scale of one inch to one mile.

2d. The cities of Canton and Massillon, and all incorporated towns and villages, on a scale of 30 feet to one inch.

3d. The boundaries of all subdivisions shall be shown by dotted lines.

4th. All of said maps and plats are required to show the name of the owner of each tract or parcel of land, lot or parcel of lot, as it appears on the duplicate of the County Auditor and final delivery of said maps to the County Auditor.

5th. All maps and plats are to show the original tract and lot lines, subdivision and boundary lines, also the dimensions of each tract, parcel of land, lot or part of lot.

6th. All maps and plats to show all roads, streets and alleys with their names and widths, and location of all railroads, canals, creeks and rivers.

7th. Each bid shall be accompanied by a good and sufficient bond of one thousand dollars in amount, to become due and payable to the State of Ohio, for the purpose of securing the faithful and efficient execution of the work, and to be forfeited in case of default.

8th. All materials for the construction of said maps are to be selected by the Auditor and furnished at the expense of the county.

9th. The work on said maps to be done in rooms furnished by the County Commissioners, and the work to be under the immediate care and supervision of the County Auditor.

10th. All of said maps and plats to be completed and delivered to the County Auditor on or before the 1st day of January, 1880, at which time they must be accurate.

Payment will be made on month estimates of the work completed, approved by the County Auditor, the County Commissioners reserving the right to reject any or all of the work.

The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all of the work, or to award the contract to the lowest and best bidder.

By order of the Board of Commissioners.

JAMES P. SOURBECK,

Clerk of the Board.

Insurance.

1879.

PHENIX

Insurance Company, Hartford, Conn.

STATE OF OHIO,
 INSURANCE DEPARTMENT,
 COLUMBUS, July 14th, 1879.

Whereas, The PHENIX Insurance Company, located at Hartford, in the State of Connecticut, has filed in this office a sworn statement, by the proper officers thereof, showing its condition and business, and has complied with all the requirements of the laws of this State relating to fire insurance companies incorporated by the State of the United States.

Now, Therefore, in pursuance of law, I, Jos. F. Wright, Superintendent of Insurance of the State of Ohio, do hereby certify that said company is authorized to transact its appropriate business of

FIRE INSURANCE

In this State, in accordance with law, during the current year. The condition and business of said company at the date of said statement (December 31st, 1878) is shown as follows:

Aggregate amount of available assets, \$2,621,862.74

Aggregate amount of liabilities, (except capital), including re-insurance, \$89,458.60

Net Assets, \$1,774,621.14

Amount of actual paid up Capital, \$774,621.14

Amount of Income for the year in Cash, \$1,351,469.85

Amount of Expenses for the year in Cash, \$1,308,286.46

Dr. Walter H. Wright, Cashier of said company, do hereby certify that the same is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

JOSEPH F. WRIGHT,

JOHN L. LYNCH, Agt. at Canton, O.

Legal.

Administrator's Sale

—OF—

Real Estate!

In pursuance of an order granted by the Probate Court of Stark County, Ohio, I will offer for sale at public auction, on

Saturday, March 1st, 1879,

at one o'clock p. m., upon the premises, the following lot to-wit: Lot number 22 in the village of Uniontown, lot with good dwelling house thereon. Appraised at \$1,200.

Terms of sale—One-third cash, and the balance in two deferred yearly payments, with interest, to be secured by mortgage on the premises sold.

Administrator of the estate of Jacob Boyer, dec'd.

Jan. 23, 1879—hw

Notice of Sale of Desperate Claims.

The undersigned will sell by order of the Probate Court of Stark County, Ohio, at public auction, at the door of the St. Julian Hotel, Louisville, Stark county, Ohio, on

Saturday, February 15th, 1879,

the following claims belonging to the estate of John Myers, deceased, to-wit:

Note against John O. Myers for \$1,200, dated Nov. 16, 1869, due on demand.

Note against John A. Cope for \$75.00, dated May 13, 1871, due May 14, 1871.

Note against John A. Cope for \$20.84, dated August 10, 1871, due August 11, 1871.

Note against Wm. Trump for \$74.00, dated June 8, 1871, due 30 days after date.

Note against J. H. Penny for \$50.00, dated January 24, 1871, due July 14, 1871.

Note against John O. Myers for \$50.00, dated January 24, 1871, due July 14, 1871.

Note against Greenleaf & Wallace for \$7.41, dated 1871.

Book account against John Quinn for 90 cts.

Book account against Sam'l. Shively for \$2.00.

Book account against John Lambille for \$2.10.

Sale to commence at ten o'clock a. m. Terms cash.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Thomas Sharp & Co. vs. Judd & Reed.

My virtue of a vendi exponas issued from the court of common pleas of Stark County, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at public outcry, on the premises in the name of A. Silver & Co., in Censburgh township, county aforesaid, on

Monday, the 3rd day of February, 1879,

One steam engine 725, one two-horse boiler and boiler fixture complete, one brick stack, and saw mill buildings with all appurtenances thereto belonging.

Sale to commence at 10 o'clock a. m. Terms cash.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

John Wonderly vs. John Baker.

By virtue of a vendi exponas issued from the court of common pleas of Stark County, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at public outcry, on the premises in the city of Canton, on

Monday, the 3rd day of February, 1879,

the following described personal property to-wit: One steam engine 725, one two-horse boiler and boiler fixture complete, one brick stack, and saw mill buildings with all appurtenances thereto belonging.

Sale to commence at 10 o'clock a. m. Terms cash.

SHERIFF'S SALE.